





2025 NEBO PHOENIX LEAGUE

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LEAGUE RULES

Our league will be governed by the Softball Rules of the Utah High School Activities Association. Rules listed below will be a supplement to the UHSAA Rule Book for our league play.

- 1. First team listed is the home team. No infield will be allowed prior to games.
- 2. Batters will get four balls & three strikes. A player <u>cannot</u> be called out on foul balls. A batter MAY run on a dropped 3rd strike IF 1st base is unoccupied (when there is less than two outs). With two outs, a batter MAY run on a dropped 3rd strike even if 1st base is occupied.
- 3. Ten players will play on defense. Four of these players will be outfielders and must remain on the outfield grass at the start of each pitch.
- Each inning will be limited to 6 runs.
- 5. All players on a team will bat in the line-up, free defensive substitutions. Teams must have 7 players to play, no automatic outs for less than 10 players
- 6. All players must be in matching uniforms. Uniforms consist of matching jerseys with number on the back.
- 7. Pitching distance will be 43', measured from the back of home plate to the front of the pitcher's rubber. Base distance is 60'.
- 8. The catcher is required to wear a chest protector, face mask and shin guards. This equipment must be worn during all warm up and game periods. Helmets must be worn by the batter, the on deck batter and by all base runners. Helmets must remain on the head of all players until they reach the dugout. An out will be called (after one team warning) if the helmet is removed at any time before the player returns to the dugout.
- 1. We encourage all players to slide to avoid collisions and contact. A runner is out when they do not legally slide or attempt to get around a player who HAS the ball and is ready to make a tag. Any player who does not attempt to get around the player and causes malicious contact will be ejected from the game. Umpire discretion on attempt and malicious. Any fielder that blocks the base path without possession of the ball will be called with obstruction.
- 9. If a player does not slide and the umpire feels that interference occurred as a result of such conduct, the runner is out. If the umpire believes that a player intentionally bulldozes or runs over another player, the offending player will be ejected. Any player ejected from a game will be suspended for the following game. All other base runners will return to the base last occupied at the time of the infraction.
- 10. Games will last for 7 innings or 1 hour 20 minutes time limit, whichever comes first. No new inning may begin after 1hour 20 minutes from the start of the game. The new inning starts when last inning ends, not with the first pitch. International tie breaker will be used in 1 extra inning. If game is tied after additional inning, game will end in a tie. Games will start when they are scheduled unless backed up by previous extra inning game.
- 11. Mercy rules will be 15 runs after 3 innings, 10 runs after 4 innings or 8 runs after 5 innings

FIELD LOCATION

Hillman Fields-- 955 S Main, Payson, UT

Wednesday, May 28th

	Field #1		Field #2
5:30	Twisters v Chaos		
7:00	Twisters v Stealers	7:00	Sliders v Pumas
8:30	Pumas v Chaos	8:30	Stealers v Sliders

Wednesday, June 4th

	Field #1		Field #2
5:30	Pumas v Twisters		
7:00	Sliders v Twisters	7:00	Chaos v Stealers
8:30	Chaos v Sliders	8:30	Stealers v Pumas

Wednesday, June 11th

	Field #1		Field #2
5:30	Sliders v Stealers		
7:00	Chaos v Pumas	7:00	Stealers v Twisters
8:30	Chaos v Twisters	8:30	Pumas v Sliders

Wednesday, June 18th

	Field #1		Field #2
5:30	Pumas v Stealers		
7:00	Twisters v Pumas	7:00	Sliders v Chaos
8:30	Twisters v Sliders	8:30	Stealers v Chaos

Post Season Tournament- TBA

RAIN OUT INFORMATION

For rain-out information: call 801-465-6031

Please make every effort to get to as many of your scheduled games as possible. When teams are traveling to other communities to play, it is very discouraging when teams don't have enough players to field a team!